

UNREPORTED
IN THE COURT OF SPECIAL APPEALS
OF MARYLAND

No. 2109

September Term, 2014

RICHARD L. HORNBERGER

v.

STATE OF MARYLAND

Kehoe,
Leahy,
Davis, Arrie W.,
(Senior Judge, Specially Assigned),

JJ.

Opinion by Leahy, J.

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From September to October of 2013, an unknown male made multiple obscene phone calls to the cell phone of a woman who we shall refer to as “Ms. S.” A police investigation identified Richard L. Hornberger (“Appellant”) as the person who made the calls. Baltimore County police arrested Hornberger and charged him with telephone misuse and harassment. While Hornberger was incarcerated at Baltimore County Detention Center (“BCDC”) awaiting trial, similar obscene calls were made to a law firm from a bank of phones in Hornberger’s cell block. An administrative investigation at the detention center concluded that Hornberger was responsible for the obscene jailhouse calls, and investigators summarized their conclusions in an incident report. At Hornberger’s trial for the calls to Ms. S, the Circuit Court for Baltimore County admitted into evidence the majority of that incident report, including the investigators’ conclusion that Hornberger was responsible for the jailhouse calls. A jury convicted Hornberger of telephone misuse, and he was sentenced to three years of incarceration. Hornberger noted his timely appeal to this Court, presenting the following questions for our consideration:

- I. “Did the trial court err in admitting hearsay into evidence including hearsay in a Baltimore Detention Center Incident Report and the testimony relying on it?”
- II. “Was the evidence sufficient to support Mr. Hornberger’s conviction of telephone misuse?”

For the reasons discussed below, we conclude that Hornberger did not preserve for appeal the issue of hearsay contained within the incident report, and that there was sufficient evidence to support his conviction. We, therefore, affirm the circuit court’s decision.

BACKGROUND

At 9:51 p.m. on September 29, 2013, the victim, Ms. S, received a call on her cell phone from an “unknown caller.” Ms. S did not answer the phone. The next morning at 6:13 a.m., Ms. S received another call from an “unknown caller.” When she answered the phone, a man with a distinctive “East Baltimore” type of accent, made obscene and sexually explicit comments that disturbed Ms. S. She did not recognize the caller’s voice, but she believed that he sounded like a fifty-year-old white male. Ms. S hung up the phone immediately. The next evening at 5:24 p.m., Ms. S received another call from an “unknown caller,” but she did not answer the phone.¹

Ms. S informed her cell phone provider of the obscene phone calls. She also downloaded an app² for her cell phone that would reveal an unknown caller’s phone number, name, and address. Between September 29, 2013 and October 17, 2013, the “unknown caller” called Ms. S approximately twenty times. Through the use of her new app, Ms. S determined that the calls were being made from telephone number 410-426-0649, which was registered to Brenda McCarthy, who resided in a house on Kolb Avenue in Baltimore, Maryland.

Ms. S answered another call from the same number in mid-October. She immediately recognized the caller’s voice from the previous phone calls. Again, the caller

¹ Ms. S testified that she did not answer all of the calls from the “unknown caller.”

² An “app” or “application” is “a small specialized program downloaded onto mobile devices.” “App,” Merriam-Webster.com, (last visited March 16, 2017).

made sexually explicit obscene remarks. When Ms. S asked for the caller's name, the caller identified himself as Michael Smith. The last call Ms. S received from that number occurred at 6:09 a.m. on October 17, 2013. Again, the same individual made obscene remarks when Ms. S answered.

Ms. S called the police and informed them about the telephone calls and provided them with the phone number, name, and address she had uncovered using the app on her phone. The police obtained an arrest warrant for Hornberger, which they served at his residence at 4216 Kolb Avenue in Baltimore, Maryland, on October 17, 2013. Hornberger told the police that 4216 Kolb Avenue was his home address, 410-426-0649 was his home phone number, and 443-467-5891 was his cell phone number. The arresting officer observed that Hornberger, a forty-three-year-old white male, had a distinctive "twang" in the "Baltimore Hon's style" that caused him to pronounce his Ts like Ds, so instead of saying "there," Hornberger says "dare."

Hornberger's cell phone records indicate that, at 9:51 p.m. on September 29, 2013, a call was placed from his cell phone to Ms. S's cell phone. On June 17, 2014, Detective Morris Greenberg played a recorded phone call for Ms. S, at which point she identified Hornberger's voice as that of the unknown individual who had made the obscene calls to her cell phone in September and October of 2013.

On December 12, 2013, the State indicted Hornberger with one count of telephone misuse, Maryland Code (2002, 2012 Repl. Vol., 2016 Supp.), Criminal Law Article ("CL"), § 3-804(a)(2); and one count of harassment, CL § 3-803. Hornberger was tried

before a jury in the circuit court on June 26 and 27, 2014. At trial, the court admitted as State’s Exhibit 2A an 11-page record of BCDC’s investigation into the jailhouse calls, including a certified copy of the relevant BCDC telephone records, documents regarding the disciplinary actions taken by BCDC against Hornberger as a result of his violation of BCDC rules, various certificates of authentication verifying that all of the documents were kept by their custodians in the normal course of business, and a copy of BCDC’s incident report (“Incident Report”) summarizing their investigation and concluding that Hornberger was the jailhouse caller.³ The court also admitted as State’s Exhibit 2B a CD of the recorded jailhouse phone call, which the State played for the jury.

The jury decided that Hornberger was guilty of telephone misuse.⁴ On November 10, 2014, the circuit court sentenced Hornberger to serve three years of imprisonment, to run consecutively to any term of incarceration that he was then serving or was obligated to serve. Hornberger filed a timely notice of the instant appeal on November 10, 2014.

We provide additional facts as necessary in our discussion.

³ During the hearing on the motion *in limine* and prior to trial, the court and the parties referred to the 11-page report by a variety of names, including “certified jail records” and “certification of report.” The court and the parties referred to the Incident Report as “the attached report,” “report of incident,” and “incident report.” For clarity’s sake, we chose to define the two items as state above.

⁴ The harassment charge was not submitted to the jury.

DISCUSSION

I.

Hearsay Objection

A. Facts Specific to the Motion to Exclude

On November 20, 2013, an inmate at the BCDC made multiple obscene phone calls to the law office of Gerald Zimlin. After an investigation, BCDC staff determined that Hornberger made the calls using another prisoner's identification number.⁵ Following the incident, Lieutenant Harman of BCDC authored the Incident Report, summarizing the investigative efforts of the numerous BCDC officials.⁶

BCDC recorded all phone calls made by Hornberger to Mr. Zimlin's law office. One of the recorded phone calls was played for Ms. S on June 17, 2014. From the recorded

⁵ Each prisoner at BCDC is given a unique identification number. In order for an inmate to obtain access to a phone, the inmate pre-records his or her name, and the recording is thereafter associated with his or her identification number. This is necessary because it is not uncommon for prisoners to share their identification numbers with other inmates.

At the time of the calls, both Hornberger and the other inmate, Tevin Vinson, were housed in the same BCDC housing unit. At the time of the investigation, however, Mr. Vinson had been transferred to another unit.

⁶ The other BCDC officers who were involved in the investigation were Lt. Giza, who relayed the initial complaint from Mr. Zimlin's law office to Lt. Harman; Captain Tignor, who traced the call and determined that it was made from Phone 1 in the 2P housing unit, using inmate Tevin Vinson's identification number; and Officer Johnson, who was present in the 2P housing unit on November 20, 2014. Officer Johnson made a log of the names and times the inmates in the unit used the phone, and identified Hornberger as the person who had been using Phone 1 at the time the obscene phone call was made to Mr. Zimlin's law office, and then later observed that Hornberger was on the phone at the exact time when two subsequent phone calls were made to Mr. Zimlin's law office.

call, Ms. S identified Hornberger as the individual who had made obscene calls to her cell phone in September and October of 2013.

During discovery, the State provided a copy of the CD of the recorded phone call (its proposed Exhibit 2B), along with its proposed Exhibit 2A, which, as stated *supra*, included the Incident Report, phone records, and certificates of authority.

B. Hornberger’s Objections

Hornberger filed a motion *in limine* “to exclude the introduction of other crimes evidence.” He argued, through counsel, that the victim’s identification of his voice on the jail call was inadmissible on two grounds: (1) “it is inherently unreliable because [] the State [hadn’t] even proven that the voice on the jail call was Mr. Hornberger[;]” and (2) because, he alleged, investigators used an unduly suggestive procedure by playing only one voice for Ms. S instead of multiple voices similar to conducting a photo array identification. To support his motion, Hornberger called as witnesses Det. Greenberg and Ms. S.

Following their testimony, Hornberger argued that the prejudicial impact of Ms. S’s voice identification outweighed its probative value because: (1) investigators had not conclusively identified that Hornberger was the voice on the jail house call and (2) because Ms. S had done her own independent research of Hornberger’s criminal record and already concluded Hornberger was the caller. Hornberger also asked the court to exclude as unduly prejudicial any references to his prior criminal record, and to exclude as hearsay any references to Ms. S’s independent internet research and reverse address search of

Hornberger. Finally, defense counsel argued:

I noticed also that the Stated introduced a statement of charges that's in the subsequent case, along with the jail calls. For purposes of motions only I don't know if it's in the state's intention to introduce that in the case in chief, but I would like to ask beforehand that that be excluded because that is clearly prejudicial.

The court then recapped Hornberger's "laundry list" of items to suppress before allowing the State to respond:

THE COURT: . . . First the jail call you wanted suppressed on the grounds that the State is unable to clearly produce an identification that that jail call is linked to your client; correct?

[DEFENSE COUNSEL]: Yes Your Honor.

THE COURT: Okay. Secondly, you want the jail call suppressed because it would indicate in perhaps a prejudicial way that your client is incarcerated either . . . for this charge or for something else pending trial; correct?

[DEFENSE COUNSEL]: Yes Your Honor.

THE COURT: Also you wanted me to suppress any prior record, other than for appropriate impeachment purposes, of your client and any mention of that to be disallowed by any witness; correct?

[DEFENSE COUNSEL]: Yes Your Honor.

THE COURT: Okay. Which I guess would be the equivalent of asking me to strike . . . the prior bad acts evidence; correct?

[DEFENSE COUNSEL]: Yes Your Honor.

THE COURT: Which was contained reportedly in the Exhibits, State's Exhibit No. 1, the custodian of records, and any reports attached to that?

[DEFENSE COUNSEL]: Yes Your Honor.

THE COURT: And lastly you want me to suppress any evidence relating to any testimony from any witness about phone apps, internet research or

linking the Defendant to that by using the phone?

[DEFENSE COUNSEL]: Yes Your Honor. Those and [] also I would want excluded any reference to the Defendant's [] status of being incarcerated now or during dependency of this or the past and any reference to pending charges of any sort Your Honor.

THE COURT: Okay. Got it.

The State then offered its arguments in rebuttal. Specifically, in response to Hornberger's claim that Ms. S's identification was not probative because investigators had not proved that Hornberger was the voice on the calls, the State argued:

The jail call records, which are important because they're a business record and it, and it certifies to a court . . . it's [] just a way of taking a hearsay issue and making it palpable to the court and functional so you don't have to bring 30 people in to prove that it is what it is. In this case the jail call records has [sic] a detailed explanation of how they know that these calls are linked to Richard Hornberger and then how that identification is made, thus making it Richard Hornberger for the purposes of this motion and for trial.

The State concluded by addressing Hornberger's other objections that are not at issue on appeal. Then, before taking a recess to review relevant case law, the court asked either party if they had anything else they wanted the court to consider. The State offered:

With regards to the certified jail records unfortunately I think because it goes to identification of the Defendant if the court wants to redact that it can, but I think the overall testimony of Detective Greenberg will be that the investigation of the jail led to the identi[ty], that the caller was the Defendant. And I'll be willing to allow that to come in and redact the remaining investigation portion of things, or if the court would require I can get the gentlemen from the jail to come over. But I think the record in and of itself gives us who the caller is. And I think that is, I think that it's allowed under the Rules[.]

Defense counsel responded: "Your Honor, [] the only thing that, or one thing that actually did cause me concern based upon what the State just said was about an in court

voice exemplar.” The parties went on to debate the admissibility of an in-court voice identification. Defense counsel did not mention any second-level hearsay in the Incident Report.

At the conclusion of the hearing on the motion *in limine*, the circuit court concluded that Ms. S’s voice identification could be admitted into evidence because Ms. S’s identification was reliable, even if the investigator’s procedures were suggestive. Next, the court excluded an email sent from one BCDC official to another that the State included with the authentication of the jailhouse phone calls, finding that the email was relevant but unduly prejudicial.⁷ The court then ruled that the audio of the phone calls could come into evidence because, although prejudicial in that it showed that Hornberger was incarcerated at the time, the contents of the call were probative for identification purposes. Additionally, the court ruled that Ms. S could mention her independent investigation without getting into specifics of the phone apps and websites she used. And finally, the court concluded that the State could use Hornberger’s prior criminal record for impeachment purposes only. The court’s ruling did not mention the Incident Report.

The next day, before trial, the court clarified its ruling, explaining: “I heard arguments before on both parties[’] [] understanding that what is contained in the certification of records is hearsay, the court does find for the most part that it’s covered by a certified copy of a record that’s kept in the normal course of business.” The court then

⁷ No copy of this email, later referred to as the “Bonnie Fox email,” is in the record on appeal.

went page by page through Exhibit 2A and explained its ruling on each page. According to the court, pages one and two were allowed in under the Maryland Rules as certifications of the record, pages three and four were allowed in as records kept in the ordinary course of business, pages five through eight were allowed in under Maryland Rule 5-902, and the grand jury subpoena was relevant and allowed in under Maryland Rule 4-643(a). On the other hand, the “Bonnie Fox email” was not kept in the ordinary course of business, so it was not allowed into evidence. As for the Incident Report, the court stated that, in its review of the law, the report qualified as one “kept in the ordinary course of business, that is a true test copy which for the most part [] the report is in.” The court continued:

I read it and I think there are some things in it that although the report comes in[,] it’s a hearsay exception because [] it’s a report kept in the ordinary course of business. There’s some things on it, and remember the reason why the court is allowing it in, the jail call is not specific to this case but because it was used for identification purposes and the court found it relevant. But there are some other things on it . . . that the court does find would be prejudicial to this Defendant and I have edited and I made a copy, blacked out, and . . . I can show you what I’m going to allow in and what I’m not going to allow in.

The court explained that it edited out reference to the fact that Hornberger pleaded not guilty in an administrative proceeding, that he told an officer that he only used the phone once, that the administrative proceeding recommended a maximum disciplinary action against Hornberger, that the BCDC transferred him to segregation, and that the BCDC transferred him to a new cell. “And lastly,” the court continued, “the last page of it is an incident report. The incident report is, in this court’s view, true and tested and is unquestionably a report kept in the ordinary course of business.” But because the report

showed he was found guilty in the proceeding, the court found it more prejudicial than probative and excluded the last page. Then, the court concluded: “I don’t want to do anything that’s gonna prejudice the Defendant, but after reviewing Maryland Rule 5-902 it’s clear to me that the majority of the Exhibit the State wants to produce come in without prejudice to the Defendant *as allowed in as a hearsay exception* pursuant to Maryland law.” (Emphasis added).

Defense counsel then renewed her objection to “that document and to the previously objected to pieces of evidence, the phone call” and what the court “just has ruled on simply to preserve for the record.” Defense counsel also “request[ed] the court’s permission to have a continuing objection as to anything pertaining to the ancillary evidence regarding the inmate status and the inmate phone call and accompanying documents.” The court responded: “Okay. The court understands your objections, has made its rulings that the documents . . . *although he[arsay]*, did satisfy Maryland law to be *a he[arsay] exception as their business records kept in the ordinary course of business* within the Baltimore County Detention Center[.]” (Emphasis added).

Then, in reference to the witnesses who would testify as to the accuracy and veracity of the report, the defense objected to their testimony on the grounds that it was cumulative, with the prejudice tending to outweigh any additional probative value. The court responded that it would not prohibit the State from calling its witnesses, although it did not need to because the report would be admitted regardless, but that the court would allow the defense to call the drafters of the report during its case-in-chief to rebut or impeach the

report. The defense did not make any other objection at that time or mention any second-level hearsay.

During trial, the State moved to admit into evidence the report as redacted by the trial court. The court noted defense counsel’s continuing objection and admitted the report without further discussion or objection. Then, the State called as a witness Det. Greenberg, and asked whether the Incident Report “encapsulate[d] the investigation that occurred to identify Mr. Hornberger as the party making the calls[.]” The defense objected, stating: “I would reiterate my grounds *as previously stated.*” (Emphasis added). The defense continued:

I also would object to the form. It doesn’t identify Mr. Hornberger. There is a description of an investigation that caused them to draw a conclusion that they thought it was Mr. Hornberger. It doesn’t conclusively identify Mr. Hornberger. That case hasn’t been adjudicated. He hasn’t been found guilty of that. . . . [T]here’s circumstantial evidence that might indicate that it may be Mr. Hornberger by [sic] nothing beyond that matter.

The court sustained the objection in part, suggesting a cure would be to ask Det. Greenberg if, “after reading this report does that incorporate the investigation that was conducted in reference to the phone call that you received from jail[.]” Defense counsel responded: “Thank you[,] Your Honor,” and the trial moved on—again with no mention of second-level hearsay.

C. Hornberger’s Contention

Hornberger’s first contention is that the trial court erred by admitting into evidence the Incident Report because the report contained “second level hearsay.” The State concedes that the Incident Report contains hearsay, which was admitted into evidence

improperly. The State argues, however, Hornberger’s hearsay argument is not properly before this Court because he failed to preserve for appeal the issue of second-level hearsay contained in the Incident Report. The State contends that Hornberger’s objections to the Incident Report’s admission *in limine* and at trial focused on: (1) the investigators lack of a voice expert and (2) the allegedly unduly suggestive means the investigators used when securing the victim’s identification of Hornberger as the voice on the calls. The State bolsters this point by noting that the trial court’s recounting of Hornberger’s objections did not include a hearsay objection to the statements in the Incident Report. Hornberger claims, to the contrary, that he preserved his second-level hearsay objection because the trial court admitted the Incident Report under an exception to the hearsay rule—ergo, the court considered hearsay.

Maryland Rule 4-323(a) requires parties to object to the admission of evidence “at the time the evidence is offered or as soon thereafter as the grounds for objection become apparent. Otherwise, the objection is waived.” And Maryland Rule 8-131(a) limits the appellate court’s review to those issues that “plainly appear[] by the record to have been raised in or decided by the trial court[.]”

In conjunction, these rules limit the scope of an objecting party’s appeal to the specific grounds that party stated at trial. *Klaunberg v. State*, 355 Md. 528, 541 (1999); *Ayala v. State*, 174 Md. App. 647, 664–65 (2007). Although “a contemporaneous general objection to the admission of evidence ordinarily preserves for appellate review all grounds which may exist for the inadmissibility of the evidence[.]” *Boyd v. State*, 399 Md. 457, 476

(2007), once a party specifies its grounds for objection, appellate review “is limited to the ground assigned.” *Colvin-el v. State*, 332 Md. 144, 169 (1993). Similar to when a party fails to object entirely, a trial judge responding to specific grounds for objection “[i]s never called upon to even consider [alternative bases for objection].” *Williams v. State*, 99 Md. App. 711, 724 (1994), *aff’d*, 344 Md. 358 (1996); *see also Rosenberg v. State*, 129 Md. App. 221, 251 (1999). This same rule applies when a court grants a party a continuing objection on a specifically articulated basis. *MEMC Elec. Materials, Inc. v. BP Solar Int’l, Inc.*, 196 Md. App. 318, 360 (2010).

The preceding account of Hornberger’s objections to the Incident Report both *in limine*, immediately preceding trial, and during trial make clear that Hornberger limited his grounds for objection to the fact that the State had not proven conclusively that Hornberger was the voice on the calls, and that the investigators used unduly suggestive means when Ms. S identified Hornberger as the voice on the recording. When the court based its ruling *in limine* on the business records exception to the hearsay rule, the defense renewed its objection based on its previously-stated grounds and the court granted a continuing objection. And again, when the State questioned Det. Greenberg about the Incident Report, the defense objected, complaining that investigators had not proved conclusively that Hornberger was the voice on the tape. Not once in the course of all of the defense’s objections did the defense bring to the court’s attention the issue of second-level hearsay in the Incident Report. Having specified his grounds for objection both *in limine* and at trial, our review is now limited to those grounds assigned. *See Colvin-el*, 332 Md. at 169.

Hornberger has not preserved for appeal the issue of second-level hearsay.

Further, in contradiction to Hornberger’s contention on appeal that the Incident Report contained second-level hearsay, at trial, the defense objected to the State calling as witnesses the investigators whose first-hand knowledge and statements were contained in the Incident Report. Hornberger then argued that calling these investigators as witnesses would be cumulative and unduly prejudicial. Now, he argues that he was prejudiced by the State not calling all the investigators as witnesses. We will not permit Hornberger to “expressly, or even tacitly, agree[] to a proposed procedure and then seek[] reversal when the judge employs that procedure[.]” *Burch v. State*, 346 Md. 253, 289 (1997). Accordingly, we will not consider Hornberger’s hearsay argument on appeal.

II.

Sufficiency of the Evidence

Second, Hornberger argues that the evidence at trial was insufficient to establish beyond a reasonable doubt that his was the voice on the calls at issue. He contends that the State’s evidence only established: (1) that Hornberger resided at the residence where the phone calls came from; and (2) that the voice on the calls was the same voice as the set of jailhouse calls detailed in the Incident Report. He argues that the State failed to show that no other male had access to the phones in the residence from which the calls to Ms. S came and that, although a witness saw Hornberger using the phone bank from which the jailhouse calls came, no one proved that the call came from the specific phone Hornberger was using.

The State responds by recounting the evidence adduced at trial and maintaining that the evidence created a sufficient basis from which the jury could have reasonably concluded that Hornberger was the person making the obscene phone calls to Ms. S from September 29 to October 17, 2013.

In assessing whether sufficient evidence exists to sustain a criminal conviction, an appellate court determines “whether, after viewing the evidence in the light most favorable to the prosecution, any rational trier of fact could have found the essential elements of the crime beyond a reasonable doubt.” *Tracy v. State*, 423 Md. 1, 11 (2011) (quoting *Jackson v. Virginia*, 443 U.S. 307, 318–19 (1979)). The evidence supporting the defendant’s guilt may be either direct or circumstantial. *State v. Manion*, 442 Md. 419, 431 (2015). Rather than attempting to retry the case based on the record, we defer to the “unique opportunity” that trial affords the finder of fact “to view the evidence and to observe first-hand the demeanor and to assess the credibility of witnesses during their live testimony[.]” *Smith v. State*, 415 Md. 174, 185 (2010) (citing *Tarray v. State*, 410 Md. 594, 608 (2009)). Consequently, “[w]e defer to the jury’s inferences and determine whether they are supported by the evidence.” *Id.* (citation omitted).

When record evidence lends itself to competing rational inferences, “[w]e do not second-guess the jury’s determination[.]” *Smith*, 415 Md. at 183. Instead, “[w]e defer to *any possible reasonable inferences* the jury could have drawn from the admitted evidence and need not decide whether the jury could have drawn other inferences from the evidence, refused to draw inferences, or whether we would have drawn different inferences from the

evidence.” *State v. Mayers*, 417 Md. 449, 466 (2010) (emphasis added and citation omitted). ““The limited question before us, therefore, is not whether the evidence *should have* or *probably would have* persuaded the majority of fact finders but only whether it *possibly could have* persuaded any rational fact finder.”” *Olson v. State*, 208 Md. App. 309, 329 (2012) (quoting *Fraidin v. State*, 85 Md. App. 231, 241 (1991) (emphasis in *Fraidin*)).

Upon review of the record on appeal, we determine that there was sufficient evidence to support Hornberger’s conviction even without the evidence contained within the Incident Report. The State entered into evidence a copy of Hornberger’s cell phone records that showed phone calls from his telephone number to Ms. S’s phone at the precise times that she received the first series of calls in question. Hornberger also resided at the address that was the origin of the second set of calls to Ms. S. Hornberger matched the description that Ms. S gave to the police.

Additionally, Ms. S identified Hornberger’s voice as the voice of the person who made the obscene calls to her phone. As Hornberger concedes, the State’s evidence established that the voice on the jailhouse calls was the same as the voice on the calls to Ms. S.⁸ The fact that the same caller made both sets of calls—one set coming from Hornberger’s residence, the other from a specific phone bank in the specific cellblock in the specific jail where Hornberger was incarcerated—amounts to ample circumstantial evidence from which the jury could have concluded that Hornberger’s voice was the voice

⁸ The audio of those jailhouse calls was admitted as Exhibit 2B.

on both sets of calls. We hold that there was sufficient evidence from which the jury could have reasonably concluded that Hornberger was guilty of telephone misuse.

**JUDGMENT OF THE CIRCUIT
COURT FOR BALTIMORE
COUNTY AFFIRMED. COSTS TO
BE PAID BY APPELLANT.**